

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 206 – SB 1754

April 8, 2010

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (016572):** Deletes all language after the enacting clause of the original bill. Requires the Tennessee Higher Education Commission (THEC) to study the feasibility of establishing an instructional program in ecological tourism in public universities. THEC shall make a report on its findings and conclusions to the Education Committees of the General Assembly by February 1, 2011.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures - \$300,000/One-Time

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

**Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant**

Assumption applied to amendment:

- According to THEC, any increase in state expenditures can be handled within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion. Any increase is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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